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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: South Carolina Electric & Gas Company
Notice of Intent

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Please be advised that South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G" or "Company") intends to file in accordance with the terms of the Base Load Review Act, S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-210 *et seq.* (2015), a request for revised rates with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") not earlier than thirty (30) days from the date of this notice. If the Commission grants the electric rate mitigation mechanism requested by SCE&G in its Petition for Prudency Determination Regarding Abandonment filed on August 1, 2017, then the Company projects that there will be no net increase in its retail electric customers' rates in 2018, due to this matter.

This notice is intended to comply with S.C. Code Ann. § 58-27-860 (2015). If anything further is required of SCE&G to comply with the Commission's rules or statutory requirements for informing the Commission of the Company's intent, please advise.

By copy of this letter, we are also notifying the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff of the Company's intent.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

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